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- Our ability to effectively introduce and market new products or keep pace with advances in technology
- The reimbursement practices of a small number of large public and private insurers
- Cost-containment efforts of customers, purchasing groups, third-party payors and governmental organizations
- Intellectual property rights disputes
- Complex and costly regulation, including healthcare fraud and abuse regulations and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act
- Manufacturing or supply chain problems or disruptions
- Recalls or safety alerts and negative publicity relating to Covidien or its products



Forward-Looking Statements (cont.)

- Product liability losses and other litigation liability
- Prices for oil, gas and other commodities
- Divestitures of some of our businesses or product lines
- Our ability to execute strategic acquisitions of, investments in or alliances with other companies and businesses
- Competition
- Risks associated with doing business outside of the United States
- Foreign currency exchange rates
- Environmental remediation costs

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Long-term Financial Goals

- Mid-single digit sales growth
- Double-digit EPS growth

 - Increase gross margin
 Improve operating margin
 - Leverage SG&A
- Lower effective tax rate
- Leveraging cash flow for long-term profitable growth
 - Investments in R&D, acquisitions
 - Interest reduction; stock buyback

Balance short-term growth and long-term investment



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Portfolio Optimization Since Spin

Acquisitions

Bacchus Vascular

VNUS Medical Technologies

Aspect Medical Systems

ev3

Somanetics

Divestitures

Retail products

European incontinence

Sleep therapy

Sleep diagnostics

Oxygen therapy

U.S. nuclear pharmacies

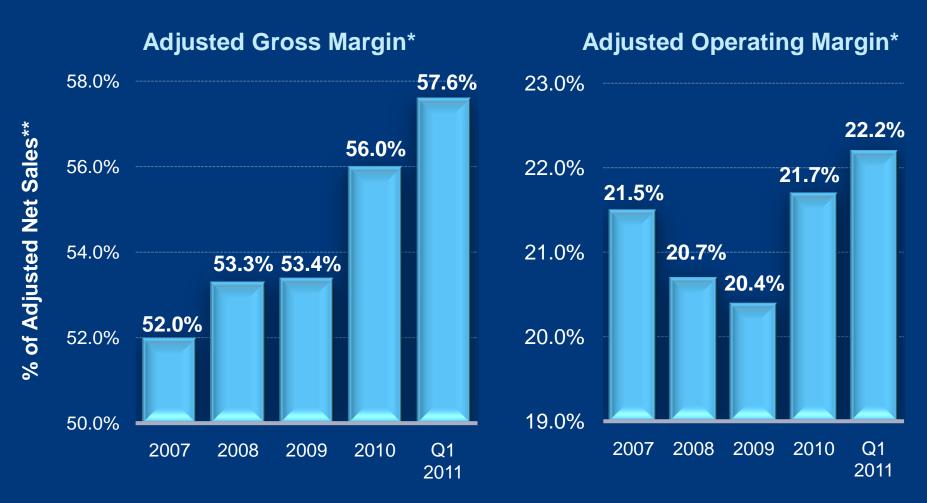
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Margin Expansion



^{*} Adjusted gross margin and adjusted operating margin are non-GAAP measures. See Appendix for reconciliation.

^{**} Sales adjusted to exclude Oxy ER.



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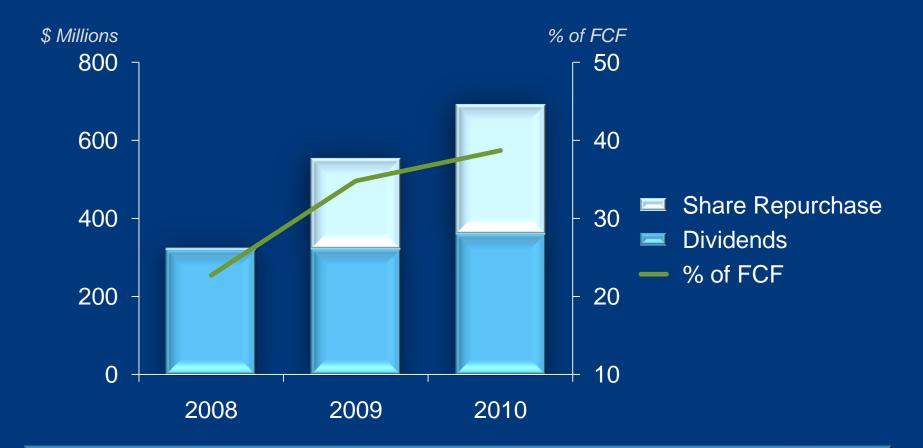
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- Expanded share repurchase program and multiple dividend increases



Cash Returned to Shareholders



Targeting return of 25% to 40% of free cash flow to shareholders

FCF = free cash flow. Free cash flow is a non-GAAP measure. See Appendix for reconciliation.





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Appendix



\$ Millions	2007	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2007 As Adjusted
Net Sales	\$8,895		\$8,895
Gross Profit	4,622		4,622
% of Sales	52.0%		52.0%
Selling, Gen'l & Admin	2,446		2,446
% of Sales	27.5%		27.5%
R&D expenses	260		260
% of Sales	2.9%		2.9%
In-process R&D	38	(\$38)	-
Restructuring charges	57	(57)	-
Class action settlements	1,202	(1,202)	-
Intangible impairments	<u>34</u>	(34)	
Operating income	\$ 585	\$1,331	\$1,916
% of Sales	6.6%		21.5%



\$ Millions, except per share amounts	2007	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2007 As Adjusted
Operating income	\$ 585	\$1,331	\$1,916
Net interest expense	(153)		(153)
Other income / (expense)	(135)	<u>155</u>	20
Pre-tax income	297	1,486	1,783
Tax Rate	155.6%)	26.5%
Income tax expense	<u>462</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>472</u>
Income/(loss) from cont. ops.	(\$165)	\$1,476	\$1,311
Diluted earnings/(loss) per share	e* (\$0.33)	\$2.96	\$2.63

^{*} From continuing operations



\$ Millions	2008	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2008 As Adjusted
Net Sales	\$9,910	\$(57)	\$9,853
Gross Profit	5,309	(56)	5,253
% of Sales	53.6%		53.3%
Selling, Gen'l & Admin*	2,881	(9)	2,872
% of Sales	29.1%		29.1%
R&D expenses	341		341
% of Sales	3.4%		3.5%
In-process R&D	22	(22)	-
Restructuring charges	77	(77)	-
Shareholder settlements	<u>42</u>	_ (42)	
Operating income	\$1,946	\$ 94	\$2,040
% of Sales	19.6%		20.7%

^{* \$9}MM SG&A adjustment relates to Oxy ER.



\$ Millions, except per share amounts	2008	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2008 As Adjusted
Operating income	\$1,946	\$ 94	\$2,040
Net interest expense	(166)		(166)
Other income	199	<u>(193)</u>	6
Pre-tax income	1,979	(99)	1,880
Tax Rate	27.1%		29.3%
Income tax expense	<u>536</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>550</u>
Income from continuing operations	\$1,443	(\$113)	\$1,330
Diluted earnings per share*	\$2.86	(\$0.23)	\$2.63



^{*} From continuing operations

\$ Millions	2009	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2009 As Adjusted
Net Sales	\$10,263	\$(354)	\$9,909
Gross Profit	5,641	(346)	5,295
% of Sales	55.0%		53.4%
Selling, Gen'l & Admin*	3,042	(169)	2,873
% of Sales	29.6%		29.0%
R&D expenses**	427	(30)	397
% of Sales	4.2%		4.0%
In-process R&D	115	(115)	-
Restructuring charges	61	(61)	-
Shareholder settlements	<u> 183</u>	(<u>183)</u>	_
Operating income	\$1,813	\$212	\$2,025
% of Sales	17.7%		20.4%

^{* \$169}MM SG&A adjustment includes \$94MM legal and \$53MM environmental charges, \$21MM loss on divestitures and \$1MM Oxy ER.

^{**} The \$30MM R&D adjustment includes upfront fees and milestone payments for Pharmaceuticals licensing agreements.



\$ Millions, except per share amounts	2009	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2009 As Adjusted
Operating income	\$1,813	\$212	\$2,025
Net interest expense	(151)		(151)
Other income	<u>145</u>	<u>(126)</u>	<u>19</u>
Pre-tax income	1,807	86	1,893
Tax Rate	47.9%		25.9%
Income tax expense	<u>865</u>	(<u>375)</u>	<u>490</u>
Income from continuing operations	\$ 942	\$461	\$1,403
Diluted earnings per share*	\$1.86	\$0.92	\$2.78



^{*} From continuing operations

\$ Millions	2010	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2010 As Adjusted
Net Sales	\$10,429		\$10,429
Gross Profit*	5,805	\$33	5,838
% of Sales	55.7%		56.0%
Selling, Gen'l & Admin**	3,219	(89)	3,130
% of Sales	30.9%		30.0%
R&D expenses	447		447
% of Sales	4.3%		4.3%
Restructuring charges	<u>76</u>	<u>(76)</u>	<u> </u>
Operating income	\$2,063	\$198	\$2,261
% of Sales	19.8%		21.7%

^{** \$89}MM SG&A adjustment relates to \$33MM in legal charges, \$25MM loss on divestitures and \$31MM of transaction costs.



^{* \$33}MM Gross profit adjustment relates to charge in cost of good sold for acquisition inventory that had been written up to fair value.

\$ Millions, except per share amounts	2010	Non-GAAP Adjustments	2010 As Adjusted
Operating income	\$2,063	\$198	\$2,261
Net interest expense	(177)	13	(164)
Other income	<u>40</u>	<u>(21)</u>	<u>19</u>
Pre-tax income	1,926	190	2,116
Tax Rate	18.8%		19.5%
Income tax expense	<u>363</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>413</u>
Income from continuing operations	\$1,563	\$140	\$1,703
Diluted earnings per share*	\$3.10	\$0.28	\$3.38



^{*} From continuing operations

Q1 2011 Financial Results

\$ Millions	Q1 2011	Non-GAAP Adjustments	Q1 2011 As Adjusted
Net Sales	\$ 2,769		\$ 2,769
Gross Profit*	1,571	\$24	1,595
% of Sales	56.7%		57.6%
Selling, Gen'l & Admin	861		861
% of Sales	31.1%		31.1%
R&D expenses	119		119
% of Sales	4.3%		4.3%
Restructuring charges	53	(53)	-
Shareholder settlement**	(11)	<u>11</u>	
Operating income	\$ 549	\$ 66	\$ 615
% of Sales	19.8%		22.2%

^{* \$24}MM Gross profit adjustment relates to charge in cost of good sold for acquisition inventory that had been written up to fair value.

^{** \$11}MM income



Q1 2011 Financial Results

\$ Millions, except per share amounts	Q1 2011	Non-GAAP Adjustments	Q1 2011 As Adjusted
Operating income	\$ 549	\$ 66	\$ 615
Net interest expense	(47)		(47)
Other income	13		<u>13</u>
Pre-tax income	515	66	581
Tax Rate	16.1%		18.4%
Income tax expense	83	24	<u>107</u>
Income from continuing operation	ons \$ 432	\$ 42	\$ 474
Diluted earnings per share*	\$0.87	\$0.08	\$0.95



^{*} From continuing operations

Free Cash Flow Reconciliation

\$ Millions	Net cash provided by continuing operating activities	Class Action and shareholder settlements	Less Capital expenditures	Free <u>cash flow</u>
2006*	\$1,335		\$432	\$903
2007	2,096		356	1,740
2008	591	1,257	409	1,439
2009	1,829	151	384	1,596
2010	2,185		401	1,784
Q1 2011	209		87	122



^{* 2006} not restated for subsequent discontinued operations.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This presentation discusses measures which may be considered "non-GAAP" financial measures under applicable Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations. These non-GAAP financial measures should be considered supplemental to and not a substitute for financial information prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. The definition of these non-GAAP measures may differ from similarly titled measures used by others.

The Company generally uses non-GAAP financial measures to facilitate management's internal comparisons to Covidien's historical operating results, to competitors' operating results, and to provide greater transparency to investors of supplemental information used by management in its financial and operational decision-making, including to evaluate Covidien's operating performance and to determine management incentive compensation.

The Company presents its operating margin forecast before special items to give investors a perspective on the expected underlying business results. Because the Company cannot predict the timing and amount of such items and the associated charges or gains that will be recorded in the Company's financial statements, it is difficult to include the impact of those items in the forecast.

The following is a list of the non-GAAP financial measures which may be discussed in this presentation:

Adjusted Net Sales: Net sales excluding sales of oxycodone hydrochloride extended-release tablets (Oxy ER).

<u>Adjusted Operating Income</u>: Operating income excluding Oxy ER and excluding charges or income for class action and shareholder settlements, net of insurance recoveries, restructuring charges, legal settlements, licensing fees, loss on divestiture, environmental charges, transaction costs and in-process R&D.

Adjusted Operating Income Margin: Adjusted Operating Income / Adjusted Net Sales (expressed as a percentage).

<u>Free Cash Flow</u>: Net cash provided by continuing operating activities excluding class action and shareholder settlements minus capital expenditures.

<u>Operational sales growth</u>: Year over year adjusted net sales increase excluding the impact of foreign exchange, expressed as a percentage.

Return on Invested Capital (ROIC): Adjusted income from continuing operations plus after-tax interest expense divided by total assets less total liabilities. Total assets exclude cash and cash equivalents, notes receivable and tax related assets. Total liabilities exclude tax related liabilities and debt.

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